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Declaration For Patent Application

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

**TRANSDIFFERENTIATION OF TRANSFECTED EPIDERMAL BASAL CELLS INTO NEURAL
PROGENITOR CELLS, NEURONAL CELLS AND/OR GLIAL CELLS**

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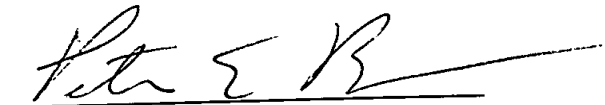
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